## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

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|                          | ) | Criminal 1 | No. | 05-30003-MAP |
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| and                      | ) |            |     |              |
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- 3. The defendants do not intend to raise a defense of insanity or public authority.
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pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. Pro. 12(c).

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- 8. The parties agree that there are periods of excludable delay. Defendant Tandoh, through his counsel, agrees that the time from May 10, 2005, the date of the initial status, until the present, September 16, 2005 should be excluded in the interests of justice. Defendant Mims, through his counsel, agrees that the time from May 20, 2005, until the present, September 16, 2005 should be excluded in the interests of justice.

Therefore, as of the day of the Status Conference on September 16, 2005, no time has run on the Speedy Trial clock.

Filed this  $15^{TH}$  day of September, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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